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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Chairman and Membership of CIA Subcommittee
of House Armed Services

REFERENCE: Memorandum to DCI dtd 6 Nov 64 from
Legislative Counsel, Subject: Review of
Membership of CIA Subcommittees

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for approval of the Director of Central Intelligence. Such recommendation is contained in paragraph 3.

2. The referenced memorandum suggests discussions with Mr. Rivers about delegating the chairmanship of the CIA Subcommittee and filling of the vacancies of the Subcommittee. We have heard that Mr. Rivers himself has voiced concern about his having sufficient time to fulfill his responsibilities of chairing the CIA Subcommittee in view of his other plans. I believe it is important that this matter be discussed with him while he is still considering the possible assignments and before the beginning of the next Congress.

3. In checking Mr. Rivers' schedule, he has completed his overseas travels and this week will finish his annual trip through his home district. As best it can be determined from his office, he does not plan to return to Washington until some time after Christmas. I recommend that it would be appropriate, if it can be arranged, that Mr. Warner visit with Rivers in Charleston to explore these matters,

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The recommendation in
paragraph 3 is approved.

LAWRENCE R. HOUSTON
General Counsel

JOHN A. McCONE
Director

Date

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MEMORANDUM FOR: THE DIRECTOR

Attached are letters to Senator Russell and Representative Rivers suggesting they set early appointments for briefing of our CIA Sub-committees. Recommend signature.

LAWRENCE R. HOUSTON
General Counsel

14 December 1964

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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

Honorable Richard B. Russell
Chairman
Armed Services Committee
United States Senate
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Chairman:

It has now been seven months since I last appeared before the CIA Subcommittee of Senate Armed Services to present an intelligence briefing. In view of the number of significant developments in the international field since that time, I believe we should give our estimates on these situations to the Subcommittee at the earliest opportunity. If you agree, would you be good enough to schedule a time for us to appear in the very early days of the new session of the Congress as I believe our information would be pertinent to subsequent matters coming before you and other members of our Subcommittee. We could make our presentation in a single morning or afternoon session, but we are, of course, available to the Subcommittee and you for as long as may be desired.

You may wish to invite Senator Hayden and members of his CIA Subcommittee of Senate Appropriations as you have done in the past, and this is, of course, quite agreeable to us.

Sincerely,

John A. McCone
Director



CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

Honorable L. Mendel Rivers
Armed Services Committee
House of Representatives
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rivers:

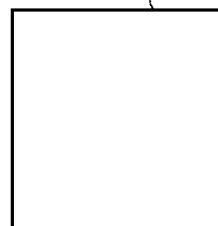
It has now been over four months since I last appeared before the CIA Subcommittee of House Armed Services to present an intelligence briefing. In view of the number of significant developments in the international field since that time, I believe we should give our estimates on these situations to the Subcommittee at the earliest opportunity. If you agree, would you be good enough to schedule a time for us to appear in the very early days of the new session of the Congress as I believe our information would be pertinent to subsequent matters coming before you and other members of our Subcommittee. We could make our presentation in a single morning or afternoon session, but we are, of course, available to the Subcommittee and you for as long as may be desired.

Sincerely,

John A. McCone
Director

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Note: Ref. memo (ER 64-7384) is logged into
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DCI approval.



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